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CLAIMS

I claim:

1. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles comprising:

a rail having edge-standing articles received therein, exhibiting a surface formed by pleats;

a back rest sliding on said rail and having a pull strip actuated manually on said back rest, said rail and back rest forming an adjustable area for displaying said edge-standing articles; and

an anti-recall device independent from the pleats of the rail, co-operating at least between at least one indexed extension piece placed at a sliding portion of said back rest and at least one complementary counterpart positioned on a support rail of said back rest.
2. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein at least one indexed extension piece is placed on a side lower and inner section of the sliding portion of said back rest.
3. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein at least one indexed extension piece and at least one complementary toothed counterpart is comprised of at least one rectangular triangle-shaped tooth.
4. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein at least one indexed extension piece and at least one complementary toothed counterpart is comprised of at least one tooth having a shape enabling the back rest to move only in a displacement direction provided for the back rest so as to reduce display area when empty, said displacement being controlled by the pull strip.

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5. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein the indexed extension pieces are integral with inner side walls and a lower face of the back rest.

6. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein the complementary toothed counterparts are positioned on side ends of the rail.

7. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein said back rest is guided along the rail by two toes so as to slide in sliding zones and to sandwich the rail between the toes and the indexed extension pieces.

8. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein said rail comprises:

two rows of serrated parallel pleats along a length of the sliding portion of the back rest, the pleats being arranged on each side portion of the rail to accommodate the edge-standing articles.

9. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein the back rest is slidable on the rail under action of a pull strip actuated manually and bearing upon a rear stop positioned in the lower section of the back rest.

10. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 9, wherein the pull strip is positioned under the back rest and above the upper face of a linking zone connecting both side portions of the rail, said pull strip, when not in use, protruding from a perimeter delineated by said rail and being maintained in said position by a pressure system.

11. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 9, wherein the rail is comprised of a front stop means for causing, at an end of a stroke and when the pull strip is pulled

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forward, the back rest to tilt into a disengaging position where the indexed extension pieces do not co-operate with the complementary counterparts of the rail any longer.

12. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 1, wherein the pull strip clears said rear stop when the back rest tilts to hold the back rest stably in the disengaging position.

13. (Currently amended) A display rack for articles according to claim 12 wherein the rail is comprised of a rear stop means for causing, at the end of the stroke and once the pull strip has been retracted inside the rail, the back rest to tilt from said disengaging position to a normal configuration of use where the indexed extension pieces co-operate with the complementary counterparts.